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SUBJECT: BAHRAIN SENDING AMBASSADOR TO BAGHDAD

[1](#)1. Bahrain Ministry of Foreign Affairs Undersecretary Yusif Mahmoud phoned CDA June 30 to inform her that the GOB will announce today that it is upgrading its representation to Iraq to the ambassadorial level. No one has been named to the position yet, but Mahmoud hopes to be able to provide the designate's name to CDA in a few hours.

[1](#)2. Baghdad minimize considered.
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